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KING'S PLEASANT SPEECH

LONDON, November 29th.
Speaking at a luncheon in the Hotel de Ville in Paris, the King expressed his pleasure at visiting Paris. He paid a tribute to the noble confidence of the Parisians in these critical and dangerous hours, with the intrepid courage of the glorious soldiers of France, powerfully contributed to the victory of the Allies.
His Majesty said he rejoiced to see how little Paris had suffered from its trials. The affectionate cordiality of the welcome which the Parisians had given him again assured him of the warm sentiments of the French nation towards him and his people.
The King concluded by expressing his most fervent wishes for the prosperity and happiness of the Parisians, whom he delighted to call his friends.

PARIS, November 29th.
President Poincare, replying to the King's speech, paid an eloquent tribute to the spirit determining Great Britain's entry into the war.
He dealt glowingly with the Dominions' and the Colonies' response to the Mother-country's appeal.

LONDON, November 29th.
The silver market is quiet.

"WE ARE FOR EVER UNITED"

PARIS, November 29th.

A Havas message says:—

With unmeasured warmth of feeling the French nation, represented by Paris, welcomed the King of England and his two soldier sons.
The King came to congratulate the President of the Republic on the end of the war, the great victory, and the strange hold of the invincible Navy.
The significance of the visit was found in the exchange of the toasts at the State banquet. President Poincare, in his eloquent speech, declared that an alliance such as that between France and England must continue for human progress. "Together we have suffered together we have fought, together we have vanquished. We are for ever united."

The King's reply dwelt on the same theme. The war had created a union of hearts and an identity of interests between France and England which must constantly grow closer, contributing to the consolidation of peace and the progress of civilisation. Today's military function was not to anticipate the great day, when the chiefs of all the allied nations are to ride through a triumphal arch amid their troops. Victory was to found a future League of Peace.

The French newspapers point out that the visit is safe for Democracy. Thousands of Parisians lining the route of King George's triumphal procession were blissfully content.

PARIS, November 29th.
President Poincare, replying to the King's speech, after reviewing the fruitless Anglo-French effort to prevent the outbreak of war said: "It was then that to a history so rich in magnificent pages, that Great Britain added an incomparable chapter, not only of a naval and military glory, but of a moral strength and human greatness. She realised immediately that hostilities would be long and would demand of the British Empire a gradual formation of a powerful army, and the creation of enormous quantities of material.
The enormous nature of the task had not frightened her in the least. She had called to the aid of her all her resources, and she had won the victory at the end of the world to the other the cry of love was the reply.
He did not know of a finer spectacle than of peoples scattered all over the face of the earth rising at the same moment, with the same spirit, in order to fly to the Mother-country's aid.
What noble recompense has the spirit of liberty which has always inspired the administration of the British Empire, received by this universal solidarity! Enlarged by all these contingents, the armies of Great Britain have during the whole war, gained in experience and improved their tactics in warfare and paved the way by more striking successes for that marvellous series of victories which compelled the enemy to solicit an Armistice."

LONDON, November 29th.
Most Paris newspapers regard the speeches of H.M. the King and President Poincare as foreshadowing a permanent Anglo-French alliance. The King this morning received at the British Embassy, a number of British soldiers on leave. His Majesty lunched at the Foreign Ministry.
The King and President Poincare attended a reception at the Town Hall in the afternoon, and a banquet held at the British Embassy in the evening.
After visiting British troops, His Majesty and the Princess are going to Brussels to visit the Belgian Majesty.

PARIS, November 29th.
The city of Paris is in a state of jubilation. The King and the Queen arrived at the Hotel de Ville with brilliant ceremonies. The King's speech was received with enthusiasm. The Queen's speech was also well received. The King and Queen are expected to stay in Paris for several days.

FIFTY THOUSAND DEATHS IN SOUTH AFRICA

Cape Town, November 29th.
It is authoritatively estimated that there were 50,000 deaths due to influenza among Europeans and coloured people in South Africa during the recent epidemic.

LOYD GEORGE AND PEACE

TO BE A STERNLY JUST PEACE.

LONDON, November 29th.
Mr. Lloyd George, speaking at Newcastle on the occasion of the formation of the new City Council, said that peace must be sternly just. After peace, the Germans domiciled in the United Kingdom would never again be allowed to betray this country. "We should proceed upon the old principle regarding indemnities—that the loser pays. Germany must pay the cost of the war to the limit of its capacity. This would not be permitted by letting Germany dump cheap goods into the United Kingdom. Continuing the Premier asked if nobody was going to be punished for the crimes of the war. He meant to see that the men who treacherously and inhumanly should be made responsible. This country would go to the court with a clean conscience. There was no stain on her record."

Mr. Lloyd George said he did not wish to pursue any policy of vengeance when the war was over. But we must, so to speak, that men who in the future might feel tempted to follow the example of those traitors who plunged the world into war, will know what is awaiting them at the end of it. Whoever devastated another's land ought to be responsible for it and should be punished for damage inflicted. If no one was going to be made responsible for war, all he could say was there is one justice for the poor wicked criminal, and another for King and Emperor. (Renewed cheers.)
The submarine pirates must be punished. Mr. Lloyd George said that the investigation of all these crimes shall be perfectly fair. We must see that the action we now take will be just, fearless, and relentless, and show such criminals that war shall never be repeated in the world's history.

EX-KAISERIN ARRIVES IN HOLLAND

AMSTERDAM, November 29th.
The ex-Kaiserin has arrived at Maarsbergen, near Utrecht, en route to join the ex-Kaiser.

MARSHAL FOCH TO VISIT LONDON

Complying with the desire of the British Government, M. Clemenceau will be accompanied to London by Marshal Foch.

BADEN PROGRESSIVES APPEAL

COPENHAGEN, November 29th.
A telegram from Karlsruhe states that the Baden Progressive Party has appealed to the Badenese to free themselves from "Bolshevik Berlin's Dictatorship."

FEELING BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH GERMAN

The Bavarian authorities have arranged a German courier en route to Berlin from Austria, and seized his documents. The incident has accentuated the conflict between North and South Germany.

SOUTH AFRICAN FEELING

JONHANNESBURG (Delayed).
Viscount Cuthbert, a member of the House of Lords, on November 28th, and 29th regarding the repatriation of German prisoners of war, has expressed his interest.

ANOTHER STRIKE THREATENED

LONDON, November 29th.
The Operative Electricians' Association, London, has voted to strike against the Government's proposed Bill for the regulation of the electric supply.

INFLUENZA IN BRITISH NORTH BORNEO.

ITS EFFECTS—PRACTICALLY UNIVERSAL.

Influenza has not left Borneo out in its general attack all over the world. The disease, however, has been practically universal and all Estates and other inquiries have had the greater part of their staff affected. Hundreds of persons have been attacked, but for the greater part slightly, and the number of cases admitted to Jesselton Hospital up to 29th November was only 51, with 19 deaths reported from the district in general.
In Jesselton itself, the disease has almost run its course. Beaufort and the Interior Estates are in the throes of it. Kudat was at its worst early in the month and we believe that in Sandakan and the East Coast it has run its course. The British North Borneo Herald has issued the following symptoms of the epidemic:—
Temperature of sudden onset, amounting to 100deg. or 104deg. in some cases. Pains in the back and limbs, headache, cough, which may be slight or severe, occasionally vomiting, and often pain or soreness in the throat, but it is essential to recognise that the last is not a constant factor. The disease is the same as that now known as "Spanish Influenza," and is a catarrhal inflammation of the throat giving rise to general symptoms.

The signs of the disease are:—Redness of the palate and anterior pillars of the throat and uvula. In a later stage the palate becomes pallid and the redness is duller in colour and localised on the pillars of the throat. The tongue, which at first is slightly coated, becomes of a pale, muddy hue. Enlargement of the glands of the neck and axilla. A pulse relatively slower than that of a similar degree of the rise of temperature of malaria. In some cases pain in the chest and increased rapidity of breathing.
The treatment of the disease consists of:—
(1) Painting the interior of the throat with tincture of iodine daily.
(2) Free purgation with calomel and salts.
(3) A mixture containing salicylate of soda (15 grains), bicarbonate of soda (2 grains) and chloroform water to one ounce, taken every four hours.
(4) As many of the sufferers will be harbouring the parasites of malaria, to which the diminished resistance of the individual will allow favourable circumstances, it is advisable to give twenty grains of quinine, ten grains being given morning and evening.
(5) Vaccine treatment should be given where possible.
As the disease shows a tendency to relapse, the painting of the throat must be continued daily, but carbolic lotion (1 in 50 parts of water) may be substituted for the tincture of iodine after the third day and is also conveniently used as a gargle.
Again it should be remembered that the throat is the seat of attack of the infection and the point of defence by treatment.

THE STRAITS POLICE

PENANG OFFICER'S BRILLIANT RECORD OF SERVICE.

The Straits Echo of November 29 says: Mr. Fred Aeria, Financial Assistant of Penang, will go on three months' leave prior to retirement after 46 years' service which, we believe, is without parallel in the Straits Service. Mr. Aeria who is 63 years of age and in the best of health joined the Government Service in 1874 as a volunteer in the Straits Settlements. In this department he rose to the position of second clerk in 1878. Four years later he went to the Treasury as chief clerk. In the year 1883 he was transferred to the Resident Councilor's Office as second clerk. After five years there he held the appointment of acting chief clerk of the Resident Councilor's Office and it was not until June 1890 that he was appointed to the substantive post. In January 1895, he was promoted to the special class and in April of the same year he was elevated to the rank of Financial Assistant of Police under the sterling scheme on £400 per annum with duty allowance of £200. Amongst those who served under him were Mr. George Campbell, Sir Arthur Brydges, Major-General Sir Arnold Anderson and his successors up to Sir J. B. Birch in 1895. He has a family of five children, six sons and three daughters. All are pursuing doing well. The "Echo" is proud to record the brilliant career of this long and distinguished official.

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DRAWN WORE.—Bedsprings, Pillow
Cases, Tray Cloths, &c., &c.
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Covers, Tea Cloths, Runners 18 by 54 in.
Also
A few lots of Attache Cases and
Belted Valises.
(All new goods and small lots to suit
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Crockery, Glass Ware, Cooking Stoves,
Ovens, Toilet Sets, &c., Bath Room
Utensils, Sundry Electro-Plated Ware.
Also
Electric Reading Lamps, Blackwood
and Teakwood Screens, Blackwood
Furniture, including large Blackwood
Sideboard, Screen, Side Tables, Chairs,
Cabinets, &c., Engravings, Pictures,
Brass Vases, &c., &c., Tennis Rackets and
Net, several Carpets.
Also
One 12-Bore SPORTING GUN by
TOMMY, London (cost \$45) and Large
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by Zeiss, Siedle, Brille, &c., (Polo).
(Full Particulars from Catalogue).
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Hongkong, Nov. 28, 1918. 966

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(Full Particulars from Catalogue).
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SATURDAY,
the 7th December, 1918, at 11 a.m.,
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THE FINEST LOT OF FUR TRIMMER
FURS, about a month old.
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THE
**VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD
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&c., &c.,
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The principal address at the dinner given by Dr. A. A. Falkman reviewed the events of the last 10 years and commemorated the 100th year in European History. Dr. Wilson's proclamation showing the need to be thankful. Following showed the many reasons why should be thankful in China. He would reject in the blessing and that to greatly increase the blessing would be to have the blessing come to the people of China, to the people of the world, among the great nations and among China's men and resources that is possible. He became one of the great men with in every day.

start of freedom to leave, as many among the coming generation of men in China realize that for the new dawn to appear, China must rid itself of enemies that monopolize power and privilege and keep its people in poverty and misery while they continue to oppress and exploit others.

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THE CATHEDRAL SERMON.

CHRIST'S CHARACTER AND THE WORLD'S NEED.

The following is a sermon preached by the Rev. H. Copley Molyneux in the Cathedral yesterday.

"It was meet to make merry and be glad." (St. Luke, xlviii, 15).

To-day we begin the season of Advent. It seems to be one of the great objects of the Christian Year to prevent us getting into a groove. The different seasons as they come round impress upon us the different facts of the Christian faith. Advent reminds us that our religion is based on the fact that God took upon Himself human nature, that He became man, to be the Redeemer of Man. And the new head of the race, and that this Jesus who is with us, He church throughout the ages will be our guide, our light, our life, to make a new start in life, to turn over a new leaf as the saying is, to try to regard our lives as we believe Christ regards them, to make them more what we should like them to be when they are judged by Christ. Advent calls upon us to examine ourselves and see whether we are becoming better or worse. It bids us who claim to be religious people, see whether we are falling into any of those sins which are the special temptation of religious people, such as pride, hypocrisy, and judging others. It bids us examine our hearts to see if our love for God and our neighbour is growing stronger. We ought to pray very earnestly for our country at this time. The issues of the forthcoming election at Hume will be fraught with the gravest consequences. We should pray that the electors may have the spirit of wisdom to vote for those who are worthy of the honour and responsibility of being Members of Parliament.

I want on these Sunday-mornings in Advent to turn your thoughts to some aspects of the character of our Blessed Lord. In Him alone can be found the satisfaction of the world's need. Let us try to realise the many-sidedness of the character of Christ. I propose this morning to dwell on the Gladness of Christ. It is an aspect of His character which has been too little emphasised of late years. We have been so accustomed to hear of our Blessed Lord as the Man of Sorrows, that we have been apt to forget that He had other aspects of character. I do not for a moment wish to say that we ought not to think of Him as the Man of Sorrows—that is a true and essential aspect of our Lord—but I do wish to say very emphatically that we ought not to think of Him only in that way. If we dwell exclusively on that aspect of His character, we shall get a one-sided and, therefore, a false view of Him.

I have read books and heard sermons which dwell upon the fact that we never read in the Gospels of Christ laughing, and it has been argued from this that He did not laugh. The argument from the silence of Holy Scripture is always a weak argument. I believe Abraham and Sarah are the only people mentioned by name who are said in the Bible to have laughed. But the greatest of Puritans would hardly venture to say that some of the other people mentioned in Holy Scripture ever laughed. Let us remember that we have only a very brief account of three years of Christ's life, and that those three years were a period of strenuous work. The writers of the Gospels set out to write about the things which marked Christ off as different from others. It was His public life and ministry and His death and resurrection that they wished to emphasise. It was not necessary for them to speak of His home life in Nazareth for thirty years, nor of the periods of relaxation which He had, even during His public ministry, in the home of Simon Peter at Capernaum or of Lazarus and his sisters at Bethany. So far as Christ from living an unusually ascetic life that we know His enemies found fault with His out of the ground that He ate and drank with publicans and sinners. It has been said that there is nothing humorous in any of our Lord's recorded sayings, but that is an assertion which takes a good deal of granted. There is nothing which changes more completely than the idea of humour. It varies with time and place and custom and nation. You may read the most humorous writers of ancient Greece and Rome without a smile, and even English writers of the eighteenth century who were considered very amusing by their contemporaries will fail to make us laugh.

If we see nothing amusing and humorous in Christ's sayings it does not follow that the people to whom they were first spoken saw nothing to make them laugh. It may well be that the story of the pious self-righteous Pharisee going up to the Temple to pray and merely mentioning his own virtues brought smiles to the faces of the hearers. I may have been that Pharisee as standing at a mat and swallowing a stone made his heart swell with his indignation of the religious hypocrite. Of his day as a Pharisee, he may have seemed very humorous to those who first heard him. Therefore to say that

Christ never said anything humorous is to make a statement which it is not easy to justify.

Even amongst English people, who are said to take their pleasures sadly, a wedding is usually a time for merriment and laughter. Amongst the Jews of Christ's time the merriment was greater and the marriage festivities lasted much longer than with us, being continued for seven days, and we know that Christ attended at least one wedding and by His miraculous power in changing water into wine. He contributed to the enjoyment of the occasion. It would be absurd and unnatural to suppose that amidst the merry throng of wedding guests Christ was grave and solemn. The man who is always serious is abnormal. In order to be able to be serious when occasion demands it, a man must be able to be light-hearted at times. There is nothing in the Gospels to compel us to believe that Christ was always sad. On the contrary His appreciation of the beauty of nature and His love of children point to His cheerfulness and merriment. This aspect of Christ's character has been emphasised by some recent Christian writers. And it has need of emphasis, for in the past it has been too often ignored if not positively denied.

Let us think for a moment of the words of the text, "It was meet to make merry and be glad." These words you will remember are from the Parable of the Prodigal Son. His father had made a feast in honour of his return and the elder brother heard the sound of music and dancing, and was angry at the rejoicing over the prodigal's return. The father goes out to appease him and he uses those words, "It was meet to make merry and be glad." Now when we remember that the father in the parable represents God, whose character Christ reveals to us, we cannot help seeing that gladness is an essential part of God's character. The gladness of Christ was therefore due to His divine as well as to His human nature. Let us realise and attempt to copy the gladness of Christ. There is an instinct growing more insistent, that we recognise Christ as the man of light-heartedness as well as the man of sorrow, because in His perfection He must have given all life, whether in shadow or in sunshine, to His Father.

The common joys of life ought to be consecrated to God. We must get rid of that legacy of Puritanism which seems to regard religion as a matter of long faces and melancholy airs. Religion is not something to be trotted out on Sunday with a black coat and a solemn face but it is, or it ought to be, the inspiration of all our work and all our amusements. The thought of Christ ought to come as naturally to a man when he is playing golf or going to a Heather Day Fair, as when he is worshipping in Church. The sympathy of Christ is perfect and all embracing. He can feel for us in our joys as keenly as He feels for us in our sorrows. He claims to rule the whole of our life. Do not let us attempt to confine His rule to our times of difficulty and sorrows, but let us gladly recognise Him as an ever present friend in our hours of amusement and merriment.

GERMAN NEWSPAPER SCANDALS.

The *Münchener Neueste Nachrichten* writes:—The *Vorwärts* discusses the new pamphlet of the *Kaisertruppen* (the party called professing intense loyalty to the Kaiser), in which it is asserted that the *Vorwärts* and the *Berliner Tageblatt* have been bought by the Government for 210,000 marks. The *Vorwärts* has been bought for 110,000 marks and the *Berliner Tageblatt* for 100,000 marks. The *Vorwärts* is a paper which has been bought by the Government for 110,000 marks. The *Berliner Tageblatt* is a paper which has been bought by the Government for 100,000 marks. The *Vorwärts* is a paper which has been bought by the Government for 110,000 marks. The *Berliner Tageblatt* is a paper which has been bought by the Government for 100,000 marks.

The *Pan German Kaisertruppen* here repeats substantially the same accusations which a *Saarbrücken* writer lately made in a *Münchener Pan-German* newspaper against the "imperial Government" and some individual journalists, which, however, were rejected by the Union of Publishers of the Berlin Press as a gross distortion of the truth, and in a manner of whipping up political passions the *Kaisertruppen* calls "honourable work."

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HEATHER DAY.

SATURDAY'S FAIR.

SUCCESSFUL WIND-UP.

Saturday saw the conclusion, and a successful one too, of the local celebration of Heather Day. Fortunately, the rain which had, during the morning, threatened the prospects of the day cleared up by afternoon and at the opening of the Fair in the afternoon there was a large crowd assembled determined to give full expression to its feelings and to assist the objects of the Fair to its utmost capacity. The side-shows were all in crowded operation, while a riot of laughter and shouting was punctuated with a strenuous check-clacking from vigorous arms and by the music dispensed from many quarters.

Among the interested visitors was His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, Hon. Mr. Claud Severn, C.M.G. Of the decorations of the Fair special mention should be made of the illuminated sign that adorned the imposing entrance archway. It was in the form of a thistle, with green leaves and red and white flowers. Viewed from a little distance it looked very effective indeed.

The joy-wheel, swing boats, merry-go-round, escalator, roller skates and chutes were as popular as ever, each being well patronised as on the previous day. In the managing of the above special mention should be made of the assistance rendered by the men of the Army and Navy.

The Golf Course, brightly illuminated, had its relays of devotees and a constant attendance of spectators who sorely tried the fence. The competitions were brought to a conclusion and the results will be announced later.

The old firm were completely sold out, but Messrs. Archibut, Bird & Co. contrived to keep an ever present circle amused with musical items on sundry instruments varied with a few Scottish songs and a ventriloquist turn by Mr. Sutherland.

The Thistle Tea Rooms were well patronised and Mrs. McCubbin's staff is to be congratulated that not a dissatisfied patron could be found. Hongkong marksmen had an opportunity of justifying their reputation at the Shooting Palace where they soon realised that the group competition would not be won easily.

The popularity of the Dancing Hall led to the unexpected necessity of dispensing with the cabaret part of the programme. The Hall was crowded all the time, two ladies satisfying the demands of the age dancers, viz. that of H.M.S. and the 18th Infantry.

Of all the other side-shows it is enough to sum up their respective efforts by saying they were an unqualified success. The Zoo was a novel feature of the Fair and towards the end much of the stock was sold and the remainder afforded causes for some entertaining auction sales at the finish. One of the "features" of the Zoo was the "most ferocious animal" which could be seen for 20 cents. This turned out to be a paper lion, who emitted a roar when the attendant pressed the button! An interesting feature of the Zoo was the milking competition for ladies which took place on Friday evening. Five ladies competed, Mrs. Taylor being adjudged winner with Mrs. J. Kynoch second. Dairy Farm experts were the Judges.

The feature of the "Pill Box" which a good many had the misfortune to miss was the Peace Conference on Friday afternoon, when the "Huns," Messrs. Strange, Aslett and Wood, with their German flag were heartily pelted with eggs.

The Post Office was again an adjunct to the Fair, postcards being on sale and the stamps chopped. St. Andrew's Fair.

THE RAFFLES.

The following list of raffle winners includes some published on Saturday.

The Pearl and Ruby Brooch was won by Ticket No. 14.

The Baby's Pinnock Cover worked by Miss Lawrence, Government Civil Hospital, was won by Ticket No. 25, Mr. A. O. Lang. It realised \$50.

The winner of the gold chabotine was Ticket No. 80.

Two canaries went to Ticket No. 22, Mr. Nicol.

Thee Tea Caddy Doll was secured by Ticket 136.

The Indian Motor Cycle and Wicker Side Car were won by Ticket No. 274.

A blackwood chair went to Mr. B. Sutherland, Ticket No. 17.

A cushion in another raffle also fell to Ticket No. 17.

An mirror was won by Ticket No. 19, Mr. Parr.

A doll went to Ticket No. 6, Noroon Donnelly.

A cushion and table cloth was secured by the purchase of Ticket No. 35, Mrs. Macpherson.

A cushion (Miss Brown) was won by Ticket No. 34, Catherine Pollock, Columbia.

Two pictures painted by Miss Under were won by Miss Macpherson, Ticket No. 23, and Mrs. Macpherson, Ticket No. 20.

Two electric fans and a tin of the prizes in a raffle, being won by Tickets Nos. 27, 4 and 7 in that order.

The Yacht White Heather went to Mrs. Hurley, Ticket No. 370.

The match box went to Ticket No. 37.

A cushion (marked R) went to Ticket No. 73.

The croquet tea cloth and tea caddy, raffled by Mrs. Harry Chapman, was won by Ticket No. 56, the amount realised being \$201.

SCOTTISH WOMEN'S RAFFLES.

Prize No. Winner Ticket.

1 6354

2 8275

3 8417

4 3875

5 2000

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8 5683

9 4497

10 368

11 4180

12 1337

13 2065

14 4131

15 1820

16 2260

17 3031

18 1948

19 5060

20 5082

Doll's house, winning ticket 111, Miss Hilda Eastman.

Sporting rifle, winning number 278.

The raffie for the lady's costume will take place later.

Mr. Forsyth's Charlie Chaplin miniature field hospital was won by Ticket No. 72, Mr. Simon Tze-wai.

ZOO RAFFLE.

Tea cloth and tea caddy, No. 2 winning ticket.

Doll and cradle, No. 1 ticket, Mr. Hough.

Work basket, No. 87, Miss L. Glendinning.

Gramophone, No. 131, Mr. T. Hough.

Cushion, No. 80, Mr. R. E. Atwell.

Sandy Lawson's kilts, No. 183, Mr. C. A. D. Melbourne.

Stuffed eagle, No. 4, Mr. P. Glendinning.

Violin and case, No. 161, Mr. J. Borthwick.

Civet cat, No. 50.

Bullock's horns, No. 163, Mr. B. M. Dyer.

Table lamp, No. 110, Mr. T. Hough.

Butter dish, No. 74, Mr. A. Hill.

Walking stick, No. 84, Mr. Smith.

GUESSING COMPETITIONS.

Bottle of Sweets Competition (479 sweets). Winner, W. Spier, 2nd Mr. D. Macleay, 3rd, Mrs. C. Forsyth.

Weight of Buffalo (992 lbs.). 1st Mr. M. Holloway, 2nd prize Mr. A. de Souza (279 lbs.), 3rd Messrs. F. E. d'Almeida, J. McCubbin, A. Gillard and Dr. Forsyth (280 lbs.) draw for third prize.

Weight of sheep (794 lbs.). 1st prize Mr. J. B. Chapman, Mr. C. Couland (79 lbs.), and Messrs. McWalter, A. H. Brown, Jack A. Tai and Macleay and Mrs. Lawson (80 lbs.) draw for 2nd and 3rd prizes.

Weight of goat (314 lbs.): 1st prize Mr. McKechnie (62 lbs.), Messrs. J. Field (62 lbs.) and Lau Ping-nam (604 lbs.) draw for 2nd and 3rd prizes.

The milking competition was won by Mrs. Taylor with Mrs. J. Kynoch second.

Winners will please meet at Messrs. Tak Cheung's Queen's Road, tomorrow between 5 and 6 p.m. to receive their prizes, and those who have to draw for prizes, an official of the Zoo will be in attendance.

A rough estimate of the financial result follows:—Heather Day Collection \$25,000; St. Andrew's Fair Friday \$27,000; Saturday \$10,000.

THE MURDER OF SERGEANT LINFIELD.

INDIAN CONSTABLE CHARGED.

This afternoon before Mr. J. R. Wood the case in which Yodeta Khan, an Indian constable, was charged with the murder of Sergeant Linfield, of the same force, came up for hearing.

Mr. T. H. King, A.S.P., presented Dr. Harvey Williams, medical surgeon at the Naval Yard, deposed that he was called and arrived at the scene about midnight. He made an examination of the body of the deceased near the main gate and found life extinct. At 5 a.m. on the following day he made another examination of the body in the naval mortuary.

There were two bullet wounds on the stomach but the bullets were not there. There were extensive signs of external hemorrhage, but in witness's opinion the cause of death was hemorrhage, the wounds made on the body were consistent with those which would be made by the bullet produced in court.

The case was proceeding as we went to press.

THE PENNINGTON STREET MURDER.

Before Mr. E. D. C. Walls at the Police Court this afternoon the hearing was continued of the Pennington Street murder inquiry.

The Assistant Crown Solicitor (Mr. Leo Longmire) conducted the case for the Crown while the three accused were undefended.

Sergeant Cockle, giving evidence said at 1 p.m. on November 9, he received a telephone message from Sergeant Floyd that a murder had taken place at No. 2, Pennington Street first floor. He went to the house and met Sergeant Floyd and three constables on the Premises of No. 4, Pennington Street.

Witnessed Sergeant Floyd found a girl, and on a bed in the first cubicle, facing the verandah, he saw the deceased who had three rings round his neck while some more pronounced marks, as if made by knots, were also found. Sitting on a bed underneath the stair case, witnesses found the three accused who had been detained by Sergeant Floyd. Witness removed the accused to the station and was present when they made their statements.

Sgt. Alfred Floyd said at about 3.30 p.m. on Nov. 9, he was on duty in the charge room, No. 2 Police Station, and in consequence of a report made by the principal tenant of No. 2, Pennington Street, he went to the house with two constables. On the staircase, with and the principal tenant's wife and daughter, Witness entered the first floor and on a bed under the staircase found the three accused. They were detained by a detective constable while witness went into the first cubicle and there saw the deceased lying on his back on a bed with his body covered with a blanket. Witness removed the blanket and saw that deceased had been strangled. A cord was found tied tightly round his neck, the cord being wound round the neck three times with a knot for each time. The deceased was quite dead. Witness removed the cord and in doing so tore one of his finger nails. When Sgt. Cockle arrived witness handed over the three accused and the girls to him, and then rang up for a cobbler and had the body removed.

BRITISH WRECK HUN NEWSPEAPER.

German newspapers at Porto Alegre, in the State of Rio Grande do Sul, so aroused the populace by circulating Brazilian claims that attacks were made on the plane of three newspapers. The plane of the "Jornal de Tenda," formerly the "Volante," was wrecked and burned. Heavy police guards were thrown across the office of the "Gazeta Popular," and the "Detached" "Volante," and the crowds were kept at bay until the excitement subsided.

To-day's Advertisement.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF THE ESTATE OF ALAN BIRN, late of the Public Works Department, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Executive Engineer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has by virtue of Section 56 of Ordinance (No. 2 of 1917), made an Order fixing the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above Estate to the 15th day of December, 1919.

All creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send in their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

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THE BEST COUGH MEDICINE.

CHAMBERLAIN'S Cough Remedy is the best medicine for cough, cold, croup, whooping cough, and all other respiratory ailments. It is a safe and reliable remedy for all ages.

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THE LONDON STRAND 1918.

The Strand, the most famous and most typical street in all London has become a home-away-from-home for all who come from overseas.

Here on the old Strand are many hundreds and hundreds of men, the wounded in blue and the fit in khaki. Australians, Canadians, South Africans, Americans, French and Italians, all are here and many more.

This interminable stream of blue and khaki passes to and fro all day and the stream of khaki passes by all night.

Whole theatres are exclusively devoted to the recreation and the entertainment of the men. Invitations to walk right in, there is nothing to pay, meet their eyes at every turn.

Only on the Strand are salutes extended by the general consent of all concerned. Here are popular hotels and "tea" restaurants, V.M.C.A. "dugouts" and American flag huts. Here, too, are many offices of the great Overseas Dominions. The Central Recruiting Office for London is but a step across Trafalgar Square.

On the Strand, the predominant overseas note is Australia. For long the several States of Australia have made the Strand their home and their office windows have glowed with exotic fruits and wines, with woods, marbles and gold, and more lately have displayed curious collections of German arms and trophies captured at the front. German clubs and saunas, bouquets, combs, masks and machine guns rest among Australian coats and mugs of gold.

And now at Aldwych, there has arisen the new and great Australia House, to stand for the symphony-house itself. It stands for the offices of the several States. Australia House and its have cost one million pounds. Its great entrance hall is fitted in bronze and is pillared by grey Australian marble. Its woodwork within is all Australian. A different wood is used on each of its ten floors. 104 Nights are shielded in bowls of alabaster. Long shall they shine!

At its portal there are sculptured groups to represent the Australian, past and present. There are the Dying Explorer, the Shearer of sheep, and the Boy of corn. Overhead two stately rows of pillars flank Aldwych on one side and the Strand on the other. Higher yet, above these colonnades, a massive and far projecting cornice crowns the building with bold and impressive effect.

Australia House is a fitting symbol of the great island continent of the Southern seas. Aldwych rivals Trafalgar Square. But at evening at Charing Cross the motor ambulance chokes the side streets from the Strand where they await the Red Cross trains from France. As the motor-ambulances carry away from Charing Cross station gates, and get glimpses through the open doors of stretched forms, of keen searching eyes, and of the V.A.D. attendant, standing at her work and swaying slightly to the movement of her car. The flower shops about the station yard are gay with blooms and bouquets, and bouquets of flowers are thrown upon the wounded men within the cars. For a moment for them it is roses, roses all the way!—J. M. H. in the "British North Borneo Herald."

INTIMATIONS.

PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.

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